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THANKSGIVING.

Proclamation by the President.

WASHINGTON, Thursday, Oct. 29, '74.
By the President of the United States—A
Proclamation:

We are reminded by the changing seasons that it is time to pause in our daily avocations and offer thanks to Almighty God for the mercies and abundance of the year which is drawing to a close.

The blessings of free government continue to be vouchsafed to us, the earth has responded to the labor of the husbandman; the land has been free from pestilence; internal order is being maintained and peace with other powers has prevailed. It is fitting that, at stated periods, we should cease from our avocations and from the turmoil of our daily lives, and unite in thankful prayer for the blessings of the past and in the cultivation of kindly feelings toward each other.

Now, therefore, recognizing these considerations, I, Ulysses S. Grant, President of the United States, do recommend to all citizens to assemble in their respective places of worship on THURSDAY, THE 28th DAY OF NOVEMBER

next, and express their thanks for the mercy and favor of Almighty God, and for the peace and order which have been secured, and for the abundance of the year which is drawing to a close.

In witness whereof, I have caused to be set my hand and seal, and caused the seal of the United States to be affixed. Done at the city of Washington on this 27th day of October, in the year 1874, and of the Independence of the United States the ninety-ninth.

U. S. GRANT

By the President.

HAMILTON FISH, Secretary of State.

STILL TROUBLED.—The "pandemonian scribbler" has lost a good deal of sleep, during the past six months, by reason of the peck of civil rights bill, and now he wants to have a postmaster appointed under its provisions. The "Consolidation of yesterday has the following:

Mr. Bright has been 1st assistant ever since the late Gen. Grant received the appointment; has been *assistant* in his duties, always at his post, understanding his business thoroughly in all its various ramifications, and is justly entitled to the succession under the *civil rights bill*, and we hope will receive it.

We're glad that our neighbor finds something in that terrible enactment worthy the endorsement of an Independent-Reform-Democrat. It's an encouraging sign of progress on the part of the p. s., and we live in hopes that he may yet be found not far behind the rear guard of the grand army of political advancement.

It is estimated that the movement of currency from New York to the west at present averages not less than \$1,000,000 a day. This is mainly for *hogs*, and will continue in a greater or *less* degree during the packing season. Most of it comes to Ohio, Indiana and Illinois, where it is paid out for hogs and passes into immediate circulation. It cannot be doubted that such a steady and considerable flow of currency to the west will soon make money more plenty here and cause a perceptible improvement in trade.

The Chicago Times, of Saturday, publishes a full expose, with diagrams, etc., of the swindling game called "Dunko," into which so many unsuspecting victims are trapped in that city. If there are degrees of infamy in gambling games, this one is probably the most nefarious one ever invented. The Times strongly intimates that some of the city authorities are in league with the gamblers, and that an organized conspiracy exists there for the purpose of plundering strangers. It hints at a vigilance committee as a possible remedy.

SPRINGFIELD, Ill., Nov. 23.—The official canvass by the State officers of the abstracts of the vote cast at the late State election was finished this afternoon, the corrected returns from the various counties having been received late Saturday night, and just in time to comply with the law, as to-day was the time limited by the statute in which the canvass could be made. The result of the official canvass does not change the results in any of the counties from the figures and names published last week, except in Livingston county, where an error in footing occurred that, after being corrected, shows that David McIntosh (Rep.) is elected to the House of Representatives in the General Assembly, instead of William Colon (Dem.) as was reported by the County Clerk in his first official abstract of the vote. The Clerk, in a letter to the Secretary of State, says that the defeated candidate (Mr. Colon) was present at the recount and refuting of the returns, and expressed himself as satisfied that he was defeated.

It is also reported in the *Statesman* that Robert Thiem, Representative elect on the People's Reform (?) ticket in Chicago has, since his election left for Europe under circumstances that are not very flattering, and it is not expected he will be back in time to be sworn into office.

Pike, the Jeweler, is agent for the sale of the best brand of American watches.

A LETTER FROM P. H. MASSEY, SHERIFF OF SEDGWICK COUNTY, KANSAS.

WICHITA, KAN., Nov. 20, 1874.

EDITORS DAILY REPUBLICAN:

GENTLEMEN: My attention has been called to an article in the DAILY REPUBLICAN of Nov. 14th, 1874, in which your citizens make a request of the Mayor of your city to call a public meeting for the purpose of taking up collections for the suffering poor in this section of the country, and that there has already been death by starving, &c.

I beg leave to inform you that I have been a resident of this county for over three years, and my opportunity for knowing the situation and the wants of the people of Sedgwick County, is as good, perhaps, or equal to any one man in the county, having been over a great portion of the county in the last month, and when I see such publications from abroad I feel that it is doing an industrious people, and a new county like ours, an injustice to have such wild reports spread all over the land without being corrected. It is very true that the failure of the corn crop is a great disaster to our people from the fact that many have just settled on their new homes, and had nothing to depend on only a sod crop of corn. Others that have been here longer, and had sown a fall crop of wheat, are better prepared for the loss of the former. I know of no suffering in this county, by starvation or the want of food, and I here make the assertion that there is not any necessity of any one, or any family suffering in Sedgwick county if they will let their wants be known (or if there is any that is or will suffer, I assure you that it will be from the fact that it is not made known to the people and the officials of Sedgwick county.) Sedgwick county has the means, and a people that has the will, and are willing and able to support all of those that stand in need of help or the necessities of life. There will be some that will want help, and our generous people are on the lookout for all that do stand in need, but that there has ever been a death by starving is something that our people have not any knowledge of. We have a great many citizens from your section of the country that will certify to what I have said, but if your people seek proper to help those that are in need, as is the case in all new countries, it will be thankfully received. I give this as being the facts as they exist.

So if you will excuse me for this little brief and for intruding upon you, I will be Respectfully Yours,

P. H. MASSEY.

ANOTHER VIEW OF THE CASE.

WICHITA, KAN., Nov. 20, '74.

EDITORS REPUBLICAN.—Dear Sirs:

I learn that the people of Decatur are taking steps to send aid to this (Sedgwick) county. I also learn that P. H. Massey, sheriff of this county, has written a letter to the REPUBLICAN concerning the matter, and from what he (Massey) said to me, I think he has written you that the people of this county do not require aid from the east.

Now, I do not know who it is that is getting up the meeting in Decatur to send aid here, but if he is an honest man, I think the people of Decatur are doing a humane act to send aid to us, for there are more destitute people here than I ever expected to see in all my life; but if some scoundrel is getting up the donations from your people they will do the people here no good. The people of Decatur should look to it that whatever is donated there is sent to some responsible person here, and I would suggest W. G. Hobbs, one of our county commissioners, as a person who would see that whatever is sent to our destitute would reach them.

The sentiment of the leading men of this county is divided on the question of soliciting aid from the east, and the reason of this is that some are jealous because they will not get to handle the donations, and a great many who own property say that it will retard immigration, and they do not want the true condition of the "Great Arkansas Valley" known, for they say that "this valley has been advertised to the world as one of the best agricultural countries in existence, and if we go east to solicit aid to keep body and soul together, how can we ask people to immigrate here?"

Now, this is a good agricultural and stock raising country. In fact, the soil is as rich as the richest soil in Illinois, and the advantages for raising stock far surpass those of Illinois, but you must recollect that this country is just being settled, and a majority are poor homesteaders, who had but little means when they arrived here, and that they exhausted in improving and getting a start on their homesteads, and when the sweeping plague (the grasshoppers

or locusts) swept over this country, it left all in poor circumstances and nearly half of the people destitute. I will give you one instance and that will serve as an example of a great many now living in this county:

A man and four children were found in Wichita, not long since, that had had nothing to eat for weeks but old scraps of bread picked up in the alleys; one of the children was a babe, about six months old, its mother had died during the fall, and all the clothing the babe had on was about a yard of ragged calico, wrapped about it, and no bed-clothing of any sort whatever, only some straw to lie upon. The rest of the children were next to naked. Their father had wandered about the country trying to get work, but no one had employment for him.

I know there is great destitution here, and if the people of Decatur will send aid they will be doing a humane thing, but I would advise them to be careful whom they trust with their donations.

Yours, truly,

ALBERT EMERSON.

The following passages are from the last Washington letter of "Gath" to the Chicago Tribune:

The re-creating of this country in the past sixteen years is the greatest work of any age. It is not all finished, but we can say to the democrats: Match it! The oceans spilled, the cables laid, Slavery buried, freedom made the cornerstone of a Nation, all the rivers bridged, the cities multiplied, and general prosperity only now; and, just as we admit that only man has no true perfection, we see a Democratic victory.

There is room for it, but no reason. The alternative of a miff, called on because there was nobody else, what a reward for vagrancy it is to see thee; O unfriendly to the period! coming to the purple. It is the miserable Stuart and his cavaliers coming home after the sturdy splendors of the Commonwealth. Thy journalism will be Samuel Peyp's, thy Goddess of Liberty, Nell Gwynne, and thy trophies, debts, the great fire, and the plague. They restore thee now. But there is banishment for thy line. Thou hast done nothing to be returned.

The Republican party owes its defeat to the rabidly Democratic elements that entered it. Take any conspicuous leader who fooled with currency heresies, South over from the Democracy, and applied the theory he learned there to the politics of a party wholly different in discipline and material. He proceeded to read people out of the party, who had never joined an organization but only a ferment.

PERSONAL MENTION.

Esq. Pritchett, of Miami, was in town this morning, and went home on the noon train.

We are happy to learn that John W. Smith, Esq., is somewhat better to-day, though still quite sick with typhoid fever.

Several of the party of hunters, who went out to Southern Missouri about two weeks ago, on a hunting expedition, returned to-day—among them Messrs. E. McClahan and D. W. Brennenman. The balance of the party will remain another week. They report bad weather, it having rained most of the time during their stay, interfering materially with hunting operations. However, they brought with them a few deer and some other game. They report all well, and speak of having had a jolly good time.

At the St. Nicholas hotel the following names are registered: J. O. Frick, Macdon, F. Dennis, Quincy, F. S. Rutledge, St. Louis, S. S. Gould, do, Jno. H. Hill, Warrensburg, R. P. Cox, Sullivan, Chas. Merrell, Chicago, T. W. Sheldon, do; G. A. Lewis, Bloomington, H. Eichner, Pittsburg; H. M. Russell, Chicago, J. W. Maxwell, Bloomington, C. H. Gaines, Terre Haute, A. R. Scott, Marrowbone, F. M. Chase, Lovington, Wm. R. Jackson, New York, G. Strickler, Cincinnati; Miss F. M. Thomson and mother.

For Several Years numerous experiments have been making for burning our soft coal successfully in a self-feeding magazine stove, that would require the fire to be built but once during the season, and one in which fire could be kept from ten to thirty hours, without replenishing. Some of these experiments have proven partially successful, but none a perfect success, excepting the invention of the "OMAHA." We notice this stove is for sale by Close & Griswold.

People who have much walking to do will consult their interest and comfort by getting their foot-gear of V. Barber & Co. They are selling some of the nicest sewed work that has ever been offered in this market, the soles having an elasticity that gives ease and grace to the step, making walking a real pleasure. Call and try some of their splendid boots and shoes. [18-daw2w]

CHICAGO, Nov. 23.—The Times has reliable information that the following railroads, centering in Chicago, will, in the spring, commence building a grand union passenger depot: Chicago & Alton, Chicago, Burlington & Quincy, Pittsburg & Pe. Wayne, Chicago & Northwestern, Milwaukee & St. Paul, and Michigan Central. The depot will occupy the greater portions of the space between the river and Canal street and between Van Buren and Madison streets. The cost will be two million dollars. The agreement has been signed by all the above mentioned roads.

TELEGRAPHIC

3 O'CLOCK, P. M.,
[Reported Exclusively for the Daily Republic.]

How Prominent Democrats Talk about their Victory.

TREASURY ESTIMATES FOR OFFICIAL POSTAGE.

Another Subsidy Job of Tom Scott's.

RESIGNATION OF SUPERVISING ARCHITECT, MULLETT.

A Great Union Depot for Chicago.

Terrible Storm in Alabama.

WASHINGTON, D. C., Nov. 23.—

Several prominent Democrats who have arrived here express themselves freely to the effect that the leaders of their party do not look upon the late political result as a Democratic victory, but that the question is whether they can make it a victory. They ascribe the Republican defeat to the general dissatisfaction of voters with that party, and do not look upon these dissatisfied persons as persons upon whom the Democracy can rely to any extent, provided the Republican leaders give proper heed to the lessons of the election.

A personal friend of Senator Morton's, who arrived here to-day, brings information from the Senator that he will probably remain in California during the winter, and not attempt to take his seat at the coming session.

Estimate of the Treasury Department for official postage is only \$100,000. The first year, when the subject was chiefly of guessing, \$504,000 were appropriated. The second year only \$200,000 were asked for, and for the coming year only one-half this latter sum.

Col. Thomas A. Scott was in town and announced his purpose openly to come to Congress, at the approaching session, and ask aid for his Texas Pacific railway. This he proposes to raise on four year bonds, the interest of which, at 5 per cent. gold, he proposes to ask Congress to guarantee. To secure the government, it is proposed to turn over all the land grants, all the machinery, track, rolling stock and appurtenances, and to issue the bonds as fast as the road is completed in sections, at the rate of \$30,000 a mile for the plains, and \$40,000 a mile for the heavy grading. Col. Scott says he is confident that he will never be obliged to ask the government to pay a coupon, and that it is proposed to pay interest on the first four years out of the proceeds of the bonds.

NASHVILLE, Nov. 23.—A heavy storm has prevailed west and south of here for twenty-four hours. There was a terrible storm at Tusculum last night, commencing at 6 o'clock. Two-thirds of the city residences were destroyed. Twelve persons were killed, and many others injured. Mrs. William Winston, mother of the late Governor Winston, his wife and two children; Hon. J. B. Moore, Senator from this district; P. D. Hodgson, Esq., editor of the *Chronicle*, his wife and four children, were killed. The Catholic Church Female Institute, recently finished, many of the finest residences, two flouring mills and the most substantial brick dwelling in town were destroyed. Many poor families are homeless. Owing to the destruction of the bridges, the train precipitated into the creek, but no one killed. The Mayor of Tusculum appeals to neighboring cities and towns for aid. The tornado came from the southwest and passed to the northeast.

WASHINGTON, Nov. 23.—Secretary Bristow being asked the cause of Mullett's resignation called attention to the Revised Statute which provides that the Chief Clerk of the Treasury shall superintend the Treasury Building and the expenditures for it. It appears that Mullett had had control of this contingent fund, amounting to a hundred thousand dollars, and he would rather resign than not control it; whereupon the Secretary said he was merely doing his duty, and if Mullett was unwilling to comply with the law, he (Bristow) would accept his resignation. The Secretary did not in any instance express a want of confidence in Mullett's integrity.

MEMPHIS, TENN., Nov. 23.—Yesterday afternoon C. W. Shulte, assistant cashier of the First National Bank called at the residence of Col. Livermore, on Shelby street, and while waiting for the servant to answer the bell, a gale sprang up, blowing down a large piece of the cornice, which struck him on the head and shoulders, inflicting a dangerous wound, which it is feared may prove fatal.

LONDON, Nov. 23.—A dense fog enveloped a portion of England Saturday and Sunday. Steamboats on the Thames suspended for two days, and at Liverpool the ferryboats ceased.

Serious railway accidents occurred at Wolverhampton, Shrewsbury and elsewhere. Two trains came in collision at Newport, Monmouthshire, and four persons were injured.

RICHMOND, Va., Nov. 23.—The State Board of Canvassers have declared Grade, Conservative, elected in the Second Congressional District, over Platt, Republican, by 131 majority.

New Advertisements.

OPERA HOUSE!

ONE NIGHT ONLY.

FRIDAY EVENING, NOV. 27.

Special Telegrams.

The Comet is Coming!

Return of the favorites, the Old Reliable Happy Cat Wagner's.

MINSTRELS

AND BRASS BAND.

The Stupendous Organization of Modern Times.

Endorsed by the Press and Public to be the only Troupe of Minstrels complete in every department.

ENGAGEMENT EXTRAORDINARY!

MESSRS. BOYD AND TURNER.

Who claim the superiority over all Song and Dance Artists, will appear at each entertainment.

Reserved Seats for sale ten days in advance, at the usual price. Picked as usual.

REMEMBER THE DATE

24-44 Mr. E. ROBINSON, Gen. Agt.

GRAND BALL

THANKSGIVING NIGHT.

November 26, 1874.

—AT—

BRENNEMAN'S HALL.

For the Benefit of

RESCUE HOSE COMPANY No. 1

TICKETS—One Dollar.

BY ORDER OF COMMITTEE

November 16, 1874-dtd.

MASTER'S SALE.

Lincolnton M. Morrison and James W. Patton, parties, vs. at Morrison & Patton, vs. George W. Kammady.

Public notice is hereby given, that by virtue of a decree of the Circuit Court of the County of Madison, in the case of Lincolnton M. Morrison and James W. Patton, vs. George W. Kammady, A. D. 1874, of the Circuit Court within and for the County of Madison, and State of Illinois, the undersigned will sell on the

15th day of December, A. D. 1874,

between the hours of 9 o'clock A. M. and sunset of said day, at the west door of the Court House, in the City of Decatur, Illinois, at public auction, will attend before the Court, the following described real estate, situate, in the County of Madison, and State of Illinois, to-wit:

Lot two (2), in block four (4), and lot ten (10), in block five (5), in the town of Fort Harrison.

Said premises will be sold subject to redemption. Decatur, Ill., November 15, 1874.

Nov. 24-dw

Administrator's Notice.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, that the estate of Charles Fish, deceased, late of Madison County, Illinois, will attend before the County Court of said county, in the City of Decatur, on Monday, the 24th day of December, A. D. 1874, for the purpose of settling and adjusting all claims against the estate of said deceased, when and where all persons holding claims against said deceased are requested to present the same for adjustment. All those indebted are requested to make immediate payment.

JOSEPH F. STEARNS, Administrator.

Oct. 23, 1874-wdw

Administrator's Notice

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, that the estate of Jacob Bower, deceased, late of Madison County, Illinois, will attend before the County Court of said county, in the City of Decatur, on Monday, the 24th day of December, A. D. 1874, for the purpose of settling and adjusting all claims against the estate of said deceased, when and where all persons holding claims against said deceased are requested to present the same for adjustment. All those indebted are requested to make immediate payment.

JOSEPH F. STEARNS, Administrator.

Nov. 5, 1874-wdw

D. F. HAMSHERR,

MANUFACTURER OF

Spring Wagons,

Farm Wagons, etc.

SHOP—No. 24 Mason St.,

One block east of St. Clair Mills.

ALL KINDS OF

BLACKSMITHING!

And REPAIRING done to order.

HORSE-SHOEING

Done by Experienced Workmen.

ALL WORK WARRANTED

None but first-class material being used. Decatur, June 18, 1874-wtf.

FOR SALE!

A TWO STORY FRAME HOUSE, on the corner of West Main and Pine streets, will be sold very low. For information inquire, at Dr. Sibley's office, or GILBERT FERRY. Sept. 11-1dwf.

We have the largest and most complete stock of Goods that we have ever had, and are daily receiving novelties in the way of DRESS GOODS, NOTIONS and FANCY GOODS, all at lower prices than you can find elsewhere. Call and see us.

Hays & Bruce.

October 21, 1874-dawtf.

A. T. HILL, Pres't. D. S. SHELLABARGER, Vice Pres't. J. P. MOORE, Cashier.

THE DECATUR NATIONAL BANK,

DECATUR, ILL.

PAID UP CAPITAL, \$100,000.00

SURPLUS, 4,000.00

DEPOSITS RECEIVED.

Collectors, and all business connected with general and legitimate banking, will receive prompt attention. Exchange bought and sold; first-class paper discounted at lowest rates.

Money to Loan at Strictly 10 per cent.

STOCKHOLDERS:

A. T. Hill, D. S. Shellabarger, Thomas Hays, James C. Lake, W. B. Taylor, J. W. Race, Wm. Bowers, N. A. White, W. T. Salvator, Col. W. H. Harris, D. W. Brennenman, A. J. Gallagher, W. South, C. T. Harckness, Peter D. Ehler, Samuel Anderson, J. C. Johnson, Ed. Brennenman, James F. Montgomery. (Oct. 24-dwtf.)

DRY GOODS.

S. EINSTEIN'S

New Stock of Fall and Winter Goods has arrived, and is opened and ready for the inspection of the Public.

Its Stock consists of a complete line of Dress Goods, Silks, Flannels, Jeans, Cassimeres, Domestic, Shavels, Blankets and Bed Quilts. Also a full line of Ladies' and Gents' Furnishing Goods.

We have also added a full line of GER-MANTOWN YARNS.

We are also Agents for the celebrated New Brand EXPOSITION ALPACA, to which we especially invite the Attention of the Ladies. Don't forget the place,

No. 21 NORTH WATER STREET.

Decatur, September 15, 1874-dtf

NEW STORE! NEW GOODS!

WM. F. DONALDSON,

Having Opened a

VARIETY STORE

—AT—

NO. 10 MERCHANT STREET,

Invites the public to call and see his stock of

Toys, Fancy Articles, Books, Stationery, Willow Ware, Etc., Etc.

WILL SELL CHEAP FOR CASH.

October 14, 1874-daw-df.

KEYSTONE CARRIAGE WORKS!

WAYNE BROTHERS,

CARRIAGES, BUGGIES, OMNIBUSES,

PEDDLING AND SPRING WAGONS.

OLD STAND OF DANIEL GAHMAN,

Corner Water and Cerro Gordo-Sts.

Sleighs Made to Order!

FANCY PAINTING A SPECIALTY.

November 17, 1874. d3w-3m.

Platform Carriages built to order. POSEY PATENT. PRINCE ALBERTS. PLANO and COAL BOX BUGGIES, STUBBY and LIGHT ROAD WAGONS, of all kinds. Always up to the times, and guarantee all work to be first-class. All kinds of

First-class Boots and Shoes Powers, Ferris & Co

A Large Lot of milk and Furs, very cheap, at S. Einstein

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The Daily Republic

DECATUR, ILLINOIS:
Tuesday Evening, Nov.

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Local Notices will be inserted at 75 per line for the first insertion, and 50 per line for each subsequent insertion. For true advertisements will be far upon application at the office.

TO DAILY SUBSCRIBE

Subscriptions to the DAILY REPUBLICAN will be collected every Saturday. The price of the paper is delivered less otherwise ordered.

We would be much obliged if our subscribers would inform the carrier at their place where they desire their paper to be left.

CITY DEPARTMENT.

Roads frozen up.

A bad day for delivery teams.

Oysters in bulk or by the can bode's.

Lots of fellows "got on the floor" this morning.

Hog cholera is still prevalent some parts of this and adjoining ties.

From east, west, north and the multitudes gather at Andy K. for their daily smoke.

Cold weather has its consolations prominent among which is the abundance of muskies and house flies.

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OFFICIAL.

STATE, COUNTY AND CITY DIRECTORY.

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Lieut. Governor.....John Early
Secretary of State.....G. B. Harlow
Attorney General.....J. J. McLean
Superintendent of Public Instruction.....Newton Balmain

Congressmen.
Senators.....J. J. McLean, John A. Logan
Representatives.....J. J. McLean, John A. Logan

State Senators, 25th Dist., Michael Donohue, Representative, 25th Dist., William T. Lane, 26th Dist., Job A. Rice, T. Lane.

Judicial Officers.
Circuit Judge.....G. B. Smith
County Judge.....G. B. Smith
Clerk Circuit Court.....E. McClellan

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County Clerk.....J. J. McLean
County Treasurer.....J. J. McLean
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Mayor.....Franklin Priest
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Chancery Notice.

STATE OF ILLINOIS, ss.
Macon County,
In the Circuit Court, December Term, A. D.
1874.

Louisa Thornburg vs. John T. Thornburg.
IN CHANCERY—Bill for Divorce.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, That a certain suit is now pending, and under-
determined in the Circuit Court of Macon
County, State of Illinois, on the Chancery
side of said court, wherein Louisa Thorn-
burg is plaintiff, and John T. Thornburg is
defendant, and that said suit has been
set aside returnable to the first day of
said term of said court, to be held in said
Court House at Macomb, in said Macon
County, on the

1st MONDAY OF DECEMBER NEXT,
and that unless you, the said defendant,
John T. Thornburg, then and there appear
and plead, answer or demur to said com-
plaint, the same and the matters therein
set forth will be taken pro confesso, and a
decree entered according to the prayer of
said bill.

Done at St. Louis, Mo., this 25th day of
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STATE OF ILLINOIS, ss.
Macon County,
Circuit Court of Macon County, December
Term, A. D. 1874.

Catherine L. Howell and Irvin Hoping vs.
Samuel Hoping, R. H. Meriwether,
Charles D. Camp, Marietta D. Hazen and
Presley Hazen.

IN CHANCERY.
Affidavit that the residence of Marietta
D. Hazen and Presley Hazen, defendants
above named, cannot, upon diligent in-
quiry, be ascertained, having been filed in the
office of the clerk of said circuit court of
Macon County, notice is hereby given to the
said Marietta D. Hazen and Presley Hazen,
that the complainants heretofore filed their
bill of complaint in said court, on the chan-
cery side thereof, and that a summons
thereupon issued out of said court against
said defendants, returnable at the court
house in the city of Decatur, in said county,
on the first Monday of December next, A. D.
1874.

Now, unless you, the said Marietta D. Hazen
and Presley Hazen, shall be and appear
before the clerk of said court at the court
house in the city of Decatur, in said county,
on the first Monday of December next, on the
first Monday of December, A. D.
1874,

and plead, answer or demur to the said com-
plainants' bill of complaint, the same and
the matters and things therein charged and
stated will be taken as confessed, and a com-
plete decree entered against you, according to
the prayer of said bill.

W. C. JOHNS, Comptroller's Solr.,
Decatur, Oct. 25, 1874-dw

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